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HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, 14TH JULY, 1869.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL
LONDON:—F. ALGAR, 11, Clement's Lane,
Lombard Street. George Street, 30,
Cornhill. Gordon & Gotch, 121, Holborn Hill, E.C. BATES HENDY & Co. 4 Old Jewry, E.C. AUSTBALLA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND GORDON & GOTOH, Mel-

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SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally: - WHITE & BAUER, San CHINA: Swatow, Drown & Co. Amoy.

Giles & Co. Foochow, Thompson & Co. Shanghai, BIELFELD & KELLY. Manila, O. KARUTH & Co.

July 14, Rodrigo, Spanish brig, 187, Perello, Manila, July 5, General.—REME-

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Departures.

July 14, Madras, for Yokohama. 14, Sunda, for Shanghai. 14 Vencedora, for Manila 14. Mary, for San Francisco 14, Ukusan, for Foochow. 14 Navarino, for Manila. 14 Advance, for Bangkok 14 Scawfell for Whampoa 14. Hongkong, for Bangkok.

New Advertisements.

STEAM TO SINGAPURE, POINT DE GALLE AND THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s S. S. will leave for the above places, at 4 P.M. on FRIDAY, the 16th July 1987

Hongkong, July 14, 1869. STEAM TO SHANGHAL THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steam-ship

will have immediate despatch for the above W. MACAULAY Superintendent.

Hongkong, July 14, 1869 OECILIA," FROM LONDON. CONSIGNRES of Cargo by the above named vessel are requested to send i their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate de ivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be banked and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, JARDINE, MATHESON & Cd. Hongkong, July 14, 1869.

Ex ! Dunmail and Carmarthenshire OUPS and SAUCERS. Invalide FOOD WARMERS. CARBONATE of SODA

Dawson's BOOTS. Ollendorff's French and German ME

French, German, Spanish, Latin, Italian and English DICTIONARIES. Rutter's Tea and Silk TABLES. Straw and French FELT-HATS. COLR MATTING.

Liebig's EXTRACT of MEAT. PICKLED TONGUES, from Sherwood and Vernez BAKING POWDER,

Beart's COFFEE MACHINES BOXING GLOVES Europe BOLT and WIRE ROPE. Wynaud Fockink's CURACAO.

Krug's CHAMPAGNE. Crosse and Blackwell's OILMAN Bass's DRAUGHT ALE. Veyron's CAFETIERES. Waterlow's STATIONERY.

CHOICE PATES, TRUFFLES, CHAM-PIGNONS, &c. A 6 feet Drawing Room BILLIARD TABLE, with Cues, Balls, Pool Balls, Marking Board, &c., complete. GUINNESS in Pints and Quarts.

CRUBB'S DEED and CASH BOXES. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, July 12, 1869.

AW: ETT & Co. are now landing, ex Dunmail, and other late arrivals :--Hogsheads BASS'S ALE

BASS'S ALE, in pints and quarts. Guinness's STOUT, in ditto. Pale SHERRY ; Old PORT CHAMPAGNE, in pints and quarts. Sparkling and Still HOOK. York HAMS and Cheddar CHEESE. American BUTTER.

Galvanized Iron WIRE ROPE, from 1 in, to 4 in: Galvanized Iron JIB HANKS, from 2 PAINTS and OILS; CANVAS and

Preserved MEATS, SOUPS, and FISH. OILMAN'S STORES. Fairbank's SCALES, 2,000 and 2,500 lbs. Infield Converted Breechloader RIFLES with Ammunition complete:

Ex " Carmarthenshire." Hennessy's BRANDY, in cases, Hongkong, June 12, 1869,

New Advertisements

Will be published in Calcutta about the 10th August 1869. THE INDIAN ECONOMIST AND THE SALES STATISTICAL REPORTER

A MONTHLY JOURNAL DEVOTED TO ECONOMIC AND STATISTICAL INQUIRIES CONCERNING INDIA Edited by ROBERT KNIGHT (Times of India)

FELLOW OF THE STATISTICAL SOCIETY,

Intending Subscribers will be good enough to send their names direct to Mr. KNIGHT.

MR. KNIGHTS retirement from Daily Press of India will set him free on the lat July next to establish a journal devoted exclusively to those economic and statistical inquiries which have been pursued by him for many years past in the columns of the Times of India. The Indian Economist will at the outset be published on the lat of every month, and will be devoted almost exclusively to the discussion of economic questions concerning India.

The Statistical Reporter, which will appear as a supplement to each number, with separate paging and index, will gather together such statistics as exist or are to be got concerning the agriculture and resources of the provinces, and the commerce population, revenues, debt, and works of the empire, and will present them in the simplest and most useful form the

It is hoped that the publication of journal will give a new impetus to statis tical inquiries in India, and be the means of spreading exact information upon tions on which Indian publicists and statesmen are now constantly at fault from the want of it. The most manifest defect probably in our administrative system is the fact that there is not a district in the empire the exact position and resources of which are known to us. The very first condition of successful administration is thus wanting. In Orissa the other day, a narrow export o 30,000 Tons of rice from a province containing 3,000,000 of people growing nothing but rice, was held to be conclusive proof that large food reserves existed in the province, while a very brief statistical inquiry would have shown that so narrow in exprovince was normally treading on the verge

present in India upon any subject but trade, while such as do exist are buried in appetite, debility, &c., &c. the recesses of the Secretariats, or in the Appendices to Parliamentary Returns, out of reach of the public. Long familiarity with the kind of information wanted, the sources from which it is to be obtained and the shape in which it requires to be presented, furnishes the Editor, as he himself believes, with special qualifications for the task he lies undertaken. He propose to meet a want which he has felt keen! himself, and believes that his new journa will be found to be indispensable by every merchant, journalist, and civilian in the country with a very few months of its

In the Times of India he has dealt for many years imperfectly with the great questions to which the Indian Economis will now be specially devoted. Imperia and local taxation, the Indian debt, currency reforms, weights and measures, the land settlements of the country, our financial relations with England, railway extension and public works, banking, commerce, and exchange, and the course of the Legislature and of the Executive Government thereon will form the leading subjects of CC. discussion in the new Journal. The Editor trusts he may rely upon the co-opera tion of the Services to make his new journal what he proposes it should become. He does not intend it to be a mere newspaper, but an authority upon questions affecting the material well-being of the country; and he will gladly receive suggestions for the improvement of his plans, and offers of assistance in the execution of them from any part of India... He will be glad also to know early the number of subscribers to the journal upon which he may count at the outest. The journal will probably

become a weekly paper eventually. Bombay, May 1869. Publishers .- Messrs WYMAN - BROTHERS Agents .- The Madras Times, Madras.

Mr GEORGE STREET, London, FRENCH VEGETABLES IUST arrived per French ship St. Ger PETITS POIS.

ARTICHAUDS. CAULIFLOWERS. BRUSSELLS SPROUTS. ASPARAGUS. CELERY IN JUS. CARROTS. BEET ROOT. FRENCH BEANS. CHAMPIGNON.

FLAGEOLETS. G. DUBOST & Co.

JULIENNE SOUP

Hongkong, July 12, 1869. JOAO DA ROZA, BARBER AND HAIR-CUTTER

· Wellington Street, No. 37. Does all kind of Barber Business for very moderate prices, and also has a Machine Head-cleaner. Hongkong, June 21, 1869,

New Advertisements.

FOR SALE USSIAN CIGARETTES. ZACHARLE & Co. Hongkong, July 12, 1869.

Mrs H. S. PEEL PRIVATE BOARDING HOUSE, Stanley Street, No. 6 30 10 (BEHRYD MESSES SAYLE & Co.) Hongkong, June, 28, 1869.

HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAS NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND at the rate of 12 % per annum, or \$4.50 per Share, declared at the Ordinary Half-yearly Meeting of the Shareholders held on the 12th instant, will be payable at the Hongkong and Shang HAL BANKING CORPORATION on and after THURSDAY, the 15th inst. Shareholder are requested to apply at the Office of the Undersigned for Warrants. By order of the Board of Directors,

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. General Agents. Hongkong, July 13, 1869, Land aug 3 HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO

STEAM-BOAT COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHABEHOLDERS.

N accordance with the requirements of the 51st Section of "the Companies" Ordinance 1865," an Extraordinary MRET NG of the Shareholders will be held at the Company's Offices, Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 27th day of July inst. at three o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of confirming any Resolutions that may be passed at the Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders on the 12th instant, By order of the Board of Directors,

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, July 3, 1869.

LIEBIG'S EXTRACT OF MEAT BISCUITS

HESE Biscuits have in a short time acquired a great reputation for their very nutritious properties.

One pound of the Biscuits port in face of the high prices that had containing the soluble mafter of two pounds of fresh beef, the on above are strongly recommend. There are no satisfactory statistics at ed to all suffering from loss of the 17th day of July 1869, at Noon, on

GEO. GLASSE, Victoria Dispensary. Hongkong, July 1, 1869.

LIEBIG'S EXTRACT OF MEAT UTRITIOUS, Convenient,

Economical THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY. Hongkong, July 1, 1869,

BRAGG'S CHARCOAL

IGHLY recommended by the Faculty as an article diet to persons suffering from Indigestion, Bile Impure Scorbutic Affections

To be had only at THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY Hongkong, July 1, 1869.

in Mosque Terrace (Caine newly painted and in the rough repair. Water laid on

JOHN GERRARD.

Hongkong, July 3, 1869,

HE very conveniently situated HOUSE in Caine Road, commanding plendid, view of the Harbour. It contains ight Rooms, Stabling for two Ponies, and the necessary Out-houses. Gas and Water are laid on all over the house For Particulars, apply to

ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, July 2, 1869.

PER "MAIL." ISS GARRETT has received, BON-NETS and HATS of the latest fashion, LACE, FICHUS, MANTLES, Has a large assortment of Dawson's La-

dies, Gentlemen's, and Children's BOUTS, Gentlemen's and Boys' Straw HATS. Glenfield STAROH and STONE BLUE. Hongkong, July 1, 1869.

PER OVERLAND MAIL AA ISS ROSE has just received a choice assortment of Black and Colored SILKS, BAREGE, Faney and Muslin RIBBONS, Velvet and Dress TRIM-MINGS in great variety.

A large assortment of Ladies' and Child-

ren's BOOTS and SHOES. WELLINGTON STREET Opposite the Catholic Chapel. Hougkong, June 4, 1869.

New Advertisements.

NEITHER Capt. JEFFREY, or the Undersigned will be Responsible for any Debts contracted by the Crew of the North Star from Cardiff without a written order.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, July 10, 1869.

Anctions

UBLIC AUCTION. HD Undersigned will sell by Publ

THURSDAY

the 15th July, 1869, at 12 o'clock, at his Sales Room, Commercial Bank Build-

50 reams Foolscap. 100 reams Note Paper. 50 Letter Press Copy Books. 200 boxes Yellow Soap.

100 boxes Fancy Toilet Soaps, 10 cases American Tobacco. Black and White Paints

100 tins Hubbuck's Raw Umber. Chrome Yellow. 50 tins Patent Dryers. Assorted Galvanised Nails Frons, Thimbles, Tool Handles, Scrub Brushes, Tube Brushes, Log Lines, Side Lights, Claw Hammers and Hatchets, Padlocks, Bull's Eye Lanterns, Parcel

An Invoice of fancy Boxes, Envelope Cases, Cigar Stands, Work Boxes,

The balance of an Invoice of Cham-

(For account of the concerned,) 1 bale 100 Coolie Blankets.

Sundry Personal Effects, etc. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery n Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. J. M. ARMSTRONG, Hongkong, July 15, 1869.

PUBLIC AUOTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction

SATURDAY,

the Premises. By order of the Mortgagee, under the power of sale contained in the Deed of

All that piece or parcel of GROUND situate at Square Street, abutting on the North on a Public Street, on the South, on Inland Lot No. 276, on the East on Public Street, and registered in the Land | dates following, viz :-Office as Inland Lot No. 275.

All that piece or parcel of GROUND, situate at Square Street, abutting on the North on Inland Lot No. 275, on the South on a Public Street, on the East on a Public Street, and on the West on Public Street, and registered in the Land Office as Inland Lot No. 276, together with the 16 Chinese HOUSES erected

TERMS OF SALE .- One-half of purchase money to be paid on the fall the hammer, and the balance on completion of the deed of transfer, the expenses of which to be paid by the purchaser. The property to be at the risk of the purchasers from the fall of the hammer.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Hongkong, July 3, 1869.

PUBLIC AUCTION. In re YUE HOP, of the SAM MOW HON

Bankrupt HE Undersigned will sell by Public Auction, by order of F. S. Hur

FAM, Esq., Official Assignes, on FRIDAY

the 16th day of July, 1869, at 12 o'clock, at No. 8 and 11, Bonham Strand and No. 9 Queen's Road,-

The whole of the GOODS, Merchandise, Furniture and Effects of the above named Bankrupt, COMPRISING :-

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. 313 bags Brown Sugar. 202 baskets Crockeryware, 28 baskets Cuttle Fish,

240 pieces Shan Tung Pongee, 12 boxes Ginseng. 133 bundles Home. 35 balca Vermicelli. 24 bags Seaweed.

18 bundles Leather. Chinese Medicines, 1 bale T-Cloth. Tobacco, Fish Maws, Salt Fish, Garroo Wood Twine, Bettlenuts, And sundry other GOODS. TERMS OF SALE. - Cash before delivery

in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. J. M. ARMSTRONG. Government Auctioneer. Hongkong, July 9, 1869,

日六初月六年已已治同 Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public

THURSDAY,

the 15th July, at 11 o'clock A.M., at the Godowns of Messrs Mody & Co., Spring Gardens .-75 bales Calcutta COTTON. ...

TERMS OF SALE — Cash before delivery in Mexican dollars weighed at 7.1.7 J. M. ARMSTRONG Hongkong, July 13, 1869.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

DENT & CO.'S ESTATE. THE Undersigned has received instructions from the Trustees of DENT Co.s Estate, to sell by Public Auction, (if not previously disposed of by private

THURSDAY.

15th July, 1869, at 3 P.M. At the Office of the Trustees, 7, Pedder Hill, Hongkong,-

The Property at FOOCHOW, known as DENT & Co. s, consisting of DWELLING HOUSE. containing 8 Rooms and Bath Rooms with Servants' Offices and Stables detach-

ed; the whole surrounded by a Garden.

This House is at present let on a short OFFICES AND GODOWNS. House containing 4 Offices and Spacious Tea Room, with fire-proof Godowns, large Treasury, and Compradore's

Rooms below, Servants' Offices, &c., at Three large Godowns, A, B, and C, as per plan, adjoining the above. This property has water frontage, is

situated in the most eligible portion of the business quarter of Foochow, and is let on a Repairing Lieuse for 5 years commencing from the 1st May 1869, at the annual rental of \$4,500.

For further particulars, apply to FRANK PEREIRA, Auctioneer Hongkong, May 20, 1869. july 1.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK. ING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHARBHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Unpaid Capital of One Hundred Dollars per Share on the 20,000 New Shares of the a Public Street and on the West on a Corporation's Stock will fall due on the

On 1st July, 1869, \$25 1st Jan., 1872, lat Jan., 1873,

Shareholders electing to pay the whole or any portion of the above Calls by anticipation will receive interest at the rate of 5 per cent, per annum, payable half-yearly until the respective dates at which the Calls shall fall due, and receipts for such payments will be issued at the Head Office

By Order of the Court of Directors, VICTOR KRESSER Chief Manager. Hongkong, March 2, 1869.

HONGKONG & SHATGHAI BANK. ING CORPORATION.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-Geo. F. HEARD, Esq. Demity Chairman-Julius Menke, Req. GEORGE J. HELLAND, Hon. J. B. TAYLOR. P. DUNCANSON, for the above Port. W. H. FORBES, Esq. RICHARD ROWETT,

S. D. SASSOON, Esq. Esq. E. R. BELLLIOS, Esq. Managers.

Hongkong, VICTOR KRESSER, Esq. LONDON BANKERS. - London and County

HONGKONG, INTEREST ALLOWED A Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of I per cent, per annum on the daily On Fixed Deposits .-

For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum, 4 per cent. ,, ,, 5 per cent. ,, ,, LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts, granted on London, and the

Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, January 1, 1869.

Shipping.

STEAM TO SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. HE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steam-ship "AZOF," will have immediate despatch for the above

PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

W. MACAULAY,

Hongkong, July 9, 1869.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAM SHIP COMPANY The Steam-ship will sail from Hongkong for Yokohama and San

Francisco, on the 19th instant, at 3 P.M. . No Freight received after Noon of the Passengers are requested to be on board

at 2 P.M., day of sailing. GEO. E. LANE, Hongkong, July 7, 1869

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW, The steam-ship

Captain Toppin, will have immediate despatch for the For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIR & Co. Hongkong, July 8, 1869.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA. The British steamer Captain GARDNER, will be

despatched for the above Ports, on TUESDAY next, the 20th inst., Despatches will close at 11 A.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hougkong, July 13, 1869. FOR NAGASAKI AND BIOGO. The American steamer "NAUTILUS,"

Capt. Roberts, will have quick despatch for the above ports. For Freight or Passage, apply to Hougkong, July 9, 1869. FOR LONDON.

The U. S. S. Coy's Str. Russain, Master, will be despatched from Foochow for the above port soon after the opening of the Tea Market, calling at Hongkong, if sufficient inducement

Rate of Freight as follows: If the passage is made to Gravesend in /O days or under, £6. 6/ per ton 40 ft.

BIRLEY & Co. Hongkoug, May 5, 1869.

O. S. S. Co.'s Steamers.

INSURANCE, F required by shippers, at the time of making freight engagements, certificate of Insurance, against Tea or Silk, on first class English Companies, may be obtained from the undersigned, at the following rates: 47s. 6d. per cent. Shanghai and Foochow

to Loudon. 58s. 6d. per cent. Hankow to London. Net cash, including average and cost of BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The British ship will have quick despatch for the above port. "NORTH STAR." For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Shanghai, 27th April, 1869.

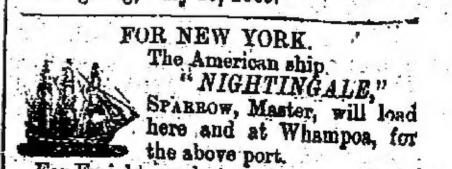
Hongkong, July 13, 1869. FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Clipper-ship B. F. SHERBURNE, Master having the greater portion of her cargo engaged, will load here and at Whampoa, and have immediate despatch

For Freight, apply to OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, July 9, 1869.

FOR MANILA. The A 1 Spanish brig "SAN LORENZO," LEDERMA, Master, will have immediate despatch for the above DAVID MACLEAN, Esq. port. And, to follow the above, the Span, barque CANDELARIA. For Freight or Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co.

Hongkong, July 10, 1869, FOR LONDON. The A 1 British ship THOMSON, Master, will load at Whampoa for the above port at current rates, and having part of her cargo

engaged, will meet with quick despatch. For Freight or Passage, apply to BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, July 10, 1869.



the above port. For Freight, apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Hongkong, July 8, 1869,

chief Commercial places in Europe, India,

Australia, America, China and Japan. VICTOR KRESSER,

The production of the second o

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The ship "SARAH MARCH," Capt. MORTON, will have despatch for the above port. For Freight, apply to

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, June 22, 1869.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American-built barque "ENRIQUE," Captain ORCUTT, having the greater portion of her Cargo engaged, will load at this and Whampoa and has room for a limited amount of

Freight, for which apply to ULYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, July 6, 1869.

FOR SYDNEY. The Dutch Barque "CONSTANCE," Capt, Scheoor, will have quick For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, June 8, 1869.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. To follow the " Mary." The A 1 American Clipper-ship "ELCANO. 1312 Tons Register, Captain

Brown, will have early despatch for the above port. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, June 12, 1869. FOR SINGAPORE. The First-class French brig

Capt. ELIE, will have quick despatch for the above port. For Freight or Passage, apply to FREDERIC DEGENAER. Hongkong, May 25, 1869.

FOR BAN FRANCISCO. The British ship Captain Townsend, will have

quick despatch for the above For Freight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, May 27, 1869. FOR NEW YORK. The American barone

"A. W. STEVENS."

will load here and Whampon for New York and have des For Freight, apply to

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, April 10, 1869. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The American ship

will have quick despatch for the For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE, HEARD & Co. Hongkong, May 7, 1869.

Notices to Consignees.

P. M. S. S. Co.'s Steamer "CHINA," FROM YOKOHAMA AND SAN ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the aboveanamed Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the ves-

sel will be landed and stored at Consignees risk and expense.

GEO. E. LANE Hongkong, July 7, 1869.

HE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Cousignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery. Ex "Cambodge," 2d February, 1869.

GFC 15985 . 1 case Chemicals. O. BERTRAND. Principal Agent Hougkong, July 6, 1869.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE: A I R LEONHARD STAEL has been admitted 1 a Partner in our Firm from this date. HESSE & Co. Hongkong, July 1, 1869.

NOTICE. AR. FRITZ RAPP, has been duly authorised to sign our Firm per Procuration from this date. F. BLACKHEAD & Co. Hougkoug, June 15, 1869.

NOTICE. HAVE this day established myself as PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE AD-JUSTER and General Commission Agent. C. LANGDON DAVIES. Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

ITROM this date Mr George E. LANE will act as Agent of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this port.
GEO. F. BOWMAN. Hongkong, March 15, 1869.

NOTICE HE Business of KINNEAR & Co., Foochow, will be carried on from and after this date under the style and firm of KINNEAR, LARKEN & Co. the partners therein being, Mr WILLIAM Balfour Kinneah and Mr Thomas Lan-CABIER LARKEN. WILLIAM BALFOUR KINNEAR.

Foochow, May 1, 1869. NOTICE. AS & GENERAL AUCTIONEER AND COM-

HE Undersigned has established himself MISSION AGENT on the Ground-Floor of the Hongkoug Hotel, under the style of GUEDES

J. M. GUEDES, JR. Hongkong, June 5, 1869.

NOTICE. HAVE established myself at Kobe, and Osaka, as Commission Melchant and GENERAL AGENT.

HENRY LUCAS. Hongkong, April 16, 1869,

New Advertisements.

NOTICE. TATE have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co, Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

NOTICE. MR. JOHN FAIRBAIRN and Mr. JOHN SAMUEL COX, will sign our firm per procuration from this date. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Bangkong, April 15, 1869.

HONGKONG HOTEL.

TROM this date the Management of the Hongkong Hotel is placed in charge of Mr George E. Porrs, to whom all communications should be addressed.

YEE-WO & Co. Bongkong Hotel April 1, 1869.

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

Ex " Dunmail" and " Carmarthen hire, (UINESS' EXTRA STOUT, in Kilder GUINESS' EXTRA STOUT, bottled by

E. & S. BURKE of Dublin, in quarts and BASS & Co. ALE, (ESPECIAL BREW), in Hogsheads and Kilderkins. BASS & Co. ALE, in quarts and pints, bottled by Cameron & Saunders.

10 tons of HUBBUCKS' PAINTS of every description. HUBBUOKS' Pale Boiled and Raw OlL. HUBBUCKS' TURPENTINE & DRIERS CROSSE and BLACKWELL'S OILMAN'S STORES, well assorted : Brown & Poul son's CORN-STARCH, LOAF SUGAR in

YORK BAMS & CHEESE and Breakast BACON, at LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, July 10, 1869.

\$6 loaves.

FOR SALE. TAS. HENNESSY & Co.'s Old THREE. J STAR BRANDY, at LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

Hongkong, July 10, 1869. FOR SALE. Ex "ANGO" and "ST. GERMAIN."

CIUPERIOR Roussillion WINE, in cask Light Bordeaux WINE, in ditto. H. & C. Balaresque's CHATEAU LA-H. & C. Balaresque's HAUT BRION VRAY CANON.

CHATEAU DE FRANDS. Haute Sauterne, Barsac, d'Yquem, Cha blis, Beanne, Hermitage Blanc, Cota Rotie, and other Burgundy WINES. Every description of French Vegetables,

Fruits, Preserves, Pates, Truffles, Syrups, Liqueurs, &c., &c., at LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, July 10, 1869.

FOR SALE O close Consignments. SOUND BREAKFAST and DIN-NER CLARETS:— St. Emilien at \$3.00 per dozen. Haute Do. Pontet Canet at \$4.50 Chatau Lakose LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, July 10, 1869.

FOR SALE. HE following Properties belonging to the Estate of DENT & Co. At Hankow.—The Property at present occupied by Messrs Evans & Rainsow, consisting of a Dwelling House, with Servants' Offices and Stables and three Godowns each 150 feet by 60. The situation of this Property outside the British concession, its river frontage of 320 feet and extensive Godown accommodation makes it one of the most valuable at Hankow especially for steam-boat purposes. At Kinking. Four Lots on the British Concession with a frontage of 232 feet on the river bund. The buildings consist, of a Dwelling House, with Servants' Offices, and two Godowns 100 feet by 50 and 105 feet by 66 on the front Lots, and of a Go-

nce of the Trustees. No. 7, Pedder's Hill H. P. HANSSEN Shanghai, Hongkong, April 10, 1869.

For further particulars, apply at the Of-

down 155 feet by 66 feet on the back Lot.

EX FALCON AND ZIBA. NEW GOODS FOR THE SEASON. ONGCLOTH SHIRTS with Lines Fronts, Gauze, Merino and Silk UNDERSHIRTS, Linen and Paper Col-LARS. White, Brown and Stripe Thread and Cotton SOCKS, NEOKTIES and SCARFS, Cambric HANDKERCHIEFS. Straw HATS, Ellwood's HELMETS, Sangster's UMBRELLAS, Masala VESTS. Trowser DUCK and DRILL, ALPACA, French MERINO and PAR MATTAS. Ladies' and Children's Trimmed and Untrimmed HATS, White and Fancy Muslin and other DRESSES. Printed French CAMBRICS, Silk, Lisle Thread and Cotton HUSIERY, Silk GLOVES, Trimmed BODICES, Cambric EDGINGS, RIB; BONS, LACES, VELVETS, HABER-DASHERY, Ac. Window CURT INS, Mosquito NETS, SHEETINGS and COUNTERPANES, Bath and Toilet TOWELS, Antimacassars and Toilet COVERS, Damask Table LINEN, Gauze and other FLANNELS, Longoloth and Irish LINENS, STATIO-NERY of all kinds, PERFUMERY.

BRUSHES, SOAPS, SPONGES, Children's PERAMBULATORS, &c., &c. B. W. BAKER & Co. Hongkong, April 10, 1860.

FOR SALE. THURSTON'S BILLIARD TABLE, in good order, having been in use only a short time.

MORRIS & Co., Queen's Road. Hongkong, July 5, 1809.

FOR SALE. Ex "Chusun," CHAMPAGNE. . .. Carte Noire. Rocuerer Blanche.

Gladiateur. BANDER & Co. Hongkong, July 5, 1860.

For Sale.

FOR BALE ENUINE Havana CIGARS, in boxes of 50 each Superior CHEROOTS, in boxes of

Cavite CIGARS and CHEROOTS. Manila CIGARS, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, per "French Mail." Meerschaum PIPES and CIGAR

HOLDERS BIELFELD & ZACHARIÆ Hongkong, June 25, 1869. jul25

New Advertisements.

PUBLIC AUCTION. ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, in their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, on FRIDAY

the 16th instant, at Noon,-100 pieces White Muslin, 12 dozen Gosnell's Cherry Tooth Powder, Gosnell's choice assorted Perfumes, 50 doz. Handkerchiefs, Socks, Undershirts, Wax Ves- of this well known Hotel equal to those of tas, Safety Matches, 18 cases Condensed Milk, Several Casks very choice Hams, Brandy, Claret, Vinegar, Paints in assorted colours, Umbrellas, Preserved Meats and Fish, Quarts Ale, Pints Stoot, Bagatelle Boards

And the usual miscellaneous assort-

TERMS OF SALE, -Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7. 1. 7. All lote, with all faults and errors of description, at Purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer. Hongkong, July 14, 1869.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE. Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auc-

SATURDAY, the 17th day of July, 1869, at 11 o'clock, at his Sale Rooms, Commercial Bank Buildings,-

(For account of the concerned,) 40 coils assorted Manila ROPE. TERMS OF SALE. - Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Hongkong, July 14, 1869.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents at this Port for

Grant's Trans-Mongolian Telegraphic Line.

Via KIACHTA Beg to state that Telegrams are always despatched once (and often twice) a week from Shanghai. Messages have been delivered in Loudon within 18 days from date they left Shanghai, and therefore time could be saved by people patronizing the above line. FESEFELD & Co. Hongkong, July 7, 1869,

PEARCE AND VINEY, (Late of Greville's Telegram Company. 39 WILLIAM STREET, MELBOURNE, TELEGRAPHIC, REPORTING, AND

AGENCIES IN ALL THE COLONIES, At Galle, London, New York, &c.

GENERAL AGENTS.

SAIL MAKING! MILLIAM DOLAN baving returned to W .- Hongkong, has resumed his business of SAIL MAKING in all its branches, at his old place in Duddell Street, and solicits the patronage of the Public. He has on hand a fine assortment of ? and 10 ounce RAVEN'S DUCK suitable

for Boat Sails or Awnings.

Hongkong, April 29, 1869. DR. VARNUM D. COLLINS TOLDING a Diploma from the Philadelpractice of his profession at Hongkong. Office and Residence, 59, Wyndham Street; but patients visited at their homes if desired. All diseases of the teeth treated and artificial work inserted on gold, silver,

vulcanite and Allen's continuous gum. Hongkong, June 14, 1869. WILSON AND SALWAY, ROHITECTS, SURVEYORS, A CIVIL ENGINEERS. Messrs Lyall, Still & Co.'s late Premises.

July 5, 1869. **ILLUMINATIONS** TRANSPARENCIES, TRIUMPHAL ARCHES.

And other DECORATIONS. For the approaching visit of HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH.

HE Undersigned is now prepared execute orders for the above. information in reference thereto; can be obtained from Messrs Wilson & SALWAY

JOHN B. HOLLAND, Scenic Artist &c. Hongkong, July 5, 1869.

NOTICE.

"STAG HOTEL,"

HIS Establishment having been entirely Refurnished and much improved will be REOPENED for Business this day, J. BAILEY WATSON, in again taking charge of the above, begs to return his thanks to his numerous friends and the public generally for the liberal support he has received for the last ten years, and trusts that, by strict attention to cleanliness and the general comfort of his patrons, to merit a conti-

nuance of their support. Tiffin, at 1 o'clock P.M. Dinner, at 7

N.B -Two of HARRIE'S first class Iron BILLIARD TABLES. J. B. WATSON, Hongkong, June 12, 1869.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE.

STAG HOTEL.

Ice Cream Drinks-Ice Cream Drinks. HE Undersigned has just landed, and has now in complete working order one of Dows and Van Winkle's CREAM SODA WATER APPARATUS. He can now supply the Public at a moment's notice with the following Nectars : Strawberry, Raspberry, Pine Apple, Orange, Lemon, Ginger, Vanilla and Sarsaparilla. Price at the Bar, 15 cents per Glass.

J. B. WATSON. Hongkong, June 22, 1869.

OCCIDENTAL HOTEL SAN FRANCISCO,

CALIFORNIA.

TITHE Occidental Hotel having been re-L cently improved and refurnished, is now in complete order in all its appoint-Travellers will find the Accommodations

the best Hotels of the Eastern States and

Hongkong, April 13, 1869.

I OTEL DE FRANCE A CANTON.

Service comfortable, prix modérés, 20 Mai, 1869.

CONSULAR NOTIFICATION. HE Undersigned, in pursuance of the instructions of His Excellency Her Britannie Majesty's Minister at Peking, on Monday, the 14th June, 1869, took over charge of British interests at the Ports of Taewanfu and Takow, and entered on his duties as Acting Consul.

WM. M. COOPER. BRITISH CONSULATE,

Taewanfu, June 15, 1869. CONSULAR NOTIFICATION.

HE Undersigned having obtained the Exequatur of the Chinese Government at Peking to his nomination as CONSUL FOR THE NORTH GERMAN CONFEDERATION AT CANTON, hereby gives notice that he has assumed the duties of this office, and that all separate German Consulates at Canton will henceforth be

discontinued. CARLOWITZ. Canton, 7th July, 1869.

NOTICE. IN THE ESTATE OF DOUGLAS LAPRAIK, Deceased. DROBATE of the last Will and Testament of Douglas LAPRAIK, formerly of Hongkong and lately of Acton, deceased having been granted to the Undersigned, one of the Executors in the said Will named All persons Indebted to the said Estate are hereby required to pay the amount of their debts forthwith. Persons having Claims against the Estate are hereby required to send in particulars of their Claims to the Undersigned, at the Office of Mesars DOUGLAS LAPRAIR & Co., or to HENRY C. CALDWELL, Esquire, Solicitor, on or before. the 31st day of January 1870, after which date no Claims will be received or admitted. Dated Hongkong, 9th day of July, 1869

R. E. BAKER. Executor. IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

IN BANKRUPTCY OTICE,-RUSTOMJEE DADABHOY, of .Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong. Merchant, having been adjudged Bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the Supreme Court on the Thirteenth day of May, 1869, a Public Sitting for the said Bankrupt to pass his last examination, and make application for his discharge, will be held before the Honorable John Smale, Esquire, Chief Justice of the said Court, at the Supreme Court House Victoria, Hongkong, on Friday, the Twenphia Dental College, resumes the tieth day of August, 1869, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely. At this Meeting, proof of the Debts of the Creditors will be received. Frederick Sowley Huffam, Esquire, is the

Official Assignee, and Mr Francis Innes Hazeland is the Solicitor acting in the tf. Bankruptcy. Hongkoug, July 6, 1869.

NAGASAKI PATENT SLIP. THIS SLIP is now available for docking Ships of 1. 200 Tons or under, and all work connected therewith, as also in the SHIPWRIGHTS, JOINERS, BOAT-BUILDERS, SPAR-MAKERS, and general departments is under experienced European Superintendence. The SLIP has been most substantially constructed, in a perfectly land-looked and secure position, and has been pronounced by competent au-

thority as equal to any existing works of the same kind. Charge, for three days use of the Slip, One Dollar per ton, and all labour, material, &c., supplied on moderate terms. For RICE MAYERS, H.M.C.S. further information, apply to.

Nagasaki, Japan,

Cool and Comfortable, Tonsorial Artist. Hongkong, May 15, 1869,

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON.

NOTICE. bands of the Directors FOR SALE. Sealed Tenders for purchase of same will be received until the 22nd instant.

By order of the Board, ROBERT WATMORE, Secretary. Hongkong, July 6, 1869.

New Advertisements.

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

THE Fortnightly Market Circulars published by the CHAMBER, will in future be deliverable from the Office of the Undersigned from 10 A.M. of the morning preceding the steamer's departure. The Circulars are at the dispusal of non-Members, on application to the Secretary, who will furnish particulars of cost, de.

J. W. WOOD, Secretary.

Club Chambers, Hongkong, March 2, 1869.

THE LONDON & CHINA EXPRESS IS published in London for the P. & O. Co.'s and French Mails, and contains-Summary of Home, Parliamentary, and Foreign News. Special Correspondents' Letters from

Germany, Holland, &c. Leading Articles on the principal interests of China. Digest of Home Opinions on China Sub-

List of Passengers by the currentland succeeding Mails. Naval and Military News. Births, Marriages, and Deaths. Commercial, Banking, Share Lists, &c. Market Reports, Shipping News, Freights,

Exchanges, &c., from London and the Continent, New York, &c. Statistics of Imports and Exports.

Statement of each Ship's Cargo for China and Japan, and by the P. and Calabar, for Macao. O. Mails, SUBSCRIPTION-\$12 per Annum. With Export Supplement, \$14.50. Single Copies,

MORRIS & Co., Agents, Queen's Road. Hongkong, March 12, 1869. HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

HE SECOND CALL of \$100 per Share will become due at the Office of the HONGLONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING COB-PORATION on the 30th Instant, where Receipts for the payment thereof will be Interest at the rate of 12% per annum will

be charged after the above date. N. B .- The Scrip Receipts for the FIRST CALL, as well as those above referred to, will be exchanged for Share Certificates the Company as soon as the necessary forms are received from England, due notice of which will be given to the Shareholders. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, June 14, 1869. SAYLE & Co.,

General Managers.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE HONG KONG.

HAVE RECEIVED EX MAIL STEAMER

Large assortment of MILLINERY BONNETS, and HATS, of the

and GRENADINE, for Evening

A fine assortment of new French FLOW ERS, HEAD-DRESSES and FEATHERS

A large assortment of new TRIM-MINGS and FRINGES in all colors.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Kid GLOVES. n white and colors, all sizes.

Gentlemen's Drab Shell and Felt HATS Blue and Green GOSSAMERS, &c.

B RANCH ESTABLISHMENT. 20, Foochow Road, Shanghai, Hongkong, February 3, 1869.

(AT THE "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE.) PRICE \$1.00. ANGLO-CHINESE CALENDAR

NOW READY.

MANUAL Handbook of reference for the determination of Chinese Dates, during the period from 1860 to 1869; with comparative Tables of Annual and Mensual Designations

&c., &c. Compiled by WILLIAM FREDE

Author's Preface. Most persons whose avocations or studies are connected even remotely with Chinese subjects are wont to confess the need ofconvenient manual of reference for the pur-HE Undersigned returns thanks for pose of determining dates according to past favors, and would remind the either the European or the Chinese method Gentlemen of Hongkong, that the Most of computation; and a system of compari-Agreeable Health-inspiring treats obtain- son for the names attributed to years, Australian Sovereigns, be had at the HONGKONG months, and other periods is also frequent. Discount, 12 HOTEL HAIR-DRESSING SALOON. ly a desideratum with translators and Gas Company Shares, ... 40
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11/ASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, are now ready at this Office-Price, \$1 each. "China Mail" Office.

LATEST SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS,

July 14, Alaveca, Spanish ship, 501. Simon de Yzanvieta, Cardiff, March. 11. 614 tons Coal.—REMEDIOS & Co.

Margaret Campbell, for Foochow. Valodor, for Amoor River. Sophie Helene, for Yokohama.

Assens, for Manila.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The Spanish ship Alaveca, from Cardiff. reports bad weather in Channel; crossed the Equator on 9th Apr., in long. 22.5 W. passed the Meridian of the Cape of Good Hope on 20th May, in lat. 33,46 S.; made Christmas Island on 21st June and Java Head on 23rd June; arrived at Anjer on 25th June and left on 27th. In China sea on 11th July had heavy squall, which lasted till 12th inst.; the Barometer down to 29.55, wind from N.W., round to S.W. then moderate and fine weather and wind southerly until arrival in Hongkong on

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.

MAILS WILL CLOSE:-

14th July; 125 days out,

For SINGAPURE, PENANG AND CAL-CUTTA. Per Indian Mail Packet "ARRATOON" APCAR," on Tuesday, the 20th Instant, at 11.80 A.M.

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Postage on Correspondence between Hongkong and the Straits and India. I beg to remind the Public for their own and their Correspondents' information, that the Postage to and from the above Places

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General Post Office. Hongkong, June 28, 1869

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Norice.-It is particularly requested that all communications relating to the general business of this paper be addressed to the Proprietor and in no case to individuals by name. Much delay and inconvenience in the transaction of business will thereby be svoided.

TO CORRESPONDENTS. Our columns are open to all who wish to address the public on legitimate grounds, but me do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions of our correspondents.

All communications addressed to this paper must be accompanied by the name of the sender, not necessarily for publication, but as a quarantee of good faith,

THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, JULY 14, 1869. THE SATURDAY REVIEW UPON

CHINA. "For the present," says the Saturday Review in a recent article upon our policy in China, "the experiment of exclusive reliance upon the Imperial. Government ought to be fully tried." will be interesting to learn what that clever, but prejudiced and unreliable iournal means by the words "fully tried." that ten years of persistent failure had thereto. amply "tried" the system advocated by the writers who so learnedly evolve China policy from the depths of their individual ignorance. But we are all wrong doubt less, and really in view of the action of British residents in China we are beginning to ask ourselves whether such not the fact in sober earnest. Not one single word of expostulation or protest has been uttered regarding the instructions recently issued by the Foreign Office, by those with whom alone can lie any right to speak upon the matter; and we can scarcely blame the home authorities if they remark that the opposition is doubt a pleasant thing, but whether it is confined to the local journals who live precisely generous or honourable we do by commenting upon official acts (amongst other matters) and bid for popularity by opposing those of the Government. must confess that if we had never been

afforded the advantage of visiting China and being familiar with the opinions respectively of foreigners and Chinese, we should reason very much in this way. "Depend upon it," will be theremark, "if the British merchant felt that his pocket was likely to be touched, we should hear him cry out loud enough; as for the national honour we will look out for that and after so many sessions in which we have been snubbed with impunity by European and other powers, a little Chinese contempt can do us no harm." Such can be but the natural feeling of homepoliticians. We do not accuse them of any real desire to either damage the interests or imperil the lives of residents in the Far East. They have come to the conclusion that prestige in Europe means very little, so far as it is supported by declamation or threats; and in utter ignorance of the fact that the misused word in question has a totally different significance out here, they are but too ready to pander to the prevailing cry for peace at any price by ignoring the argu-

ments of those on the spot,

In the present state of public feeling at home and out here we are tempted to believe that the very best policy possible is that indicated in the article we have referred to. Let it be clearly laid down by the Secretary of State that for a certain period, say three years, Her Majesty's Minister and Consuls resort exclusively to no other action than that of referring everything to Peking, careful note being taken of the results in each stances whatever let force be resorted To empower a Consul to call in assistance when "danger to life and property" is imminent at once vitiates any such experiment. Some people-Consular men-think that an ambush to murder a Vice Consul, or heaving "'alf bricks" big enough to kill at the head of a full blown Consul, under the impression that he is feasting on fried pickaninny, come under that category. Other misguided people again imagine that several unprovoked musket shots seriously wounding eleven men are dangerous to life. are all erroneous conceptions of what the British Government means. "Danger to life and proporty" is merely a polite way of implying that Messrs Gladstone Bright & Co. have retired, if not to a state of existence better worthy of them, to a least the ease of private unofficial life -and as this prospect is still in the distance, it is useless to speculate upon the

precise period when providence will see fit to enable us to get a nearer view. Seriously we can suggest no better course than that indicated. Af at the expiration of say even two years a total abstinence from the use of force has plainant, who is a coolie to Mr Perkia. demonstrated that in the aggregate Yeong Apun (for such is the servant's demonstrated that in the aggregate name) stated that yesterday the Doctor had British interests have been advanced, that gone to his room and horsewhipped him on outrage has become rare; and that a better | the back without any provocation whatunderstanding has accrued between ever. Here the Chinaman showed marks China and ourselves, we and the press of indicative of a pretty strong dose of a China generally, the merchants, the mis somewhat strong mixture. The doctor Bionaries (and we may add the foreign the complainant and another torturing officials of all grades in their private a monkey, and that he called out to capacities), will have to acknowledge them to desist as they did not do so, that we have been radically wrong; that however, he ran out and following for the first time in the world's history, the complainant into his quarters, he the honor of an Asiatic people has proved gave him a whipping. - Complainant denied more effectual than coercion, and that having tortured the monkey.—His Worths Chinese Government, even now the one of the man who tortured the monmost singular problem of the day, in future key, he righly deserved the sound thrashtake rank as the greatest paradox which ing which he appeared to have received.

let the experiment be aided heart soul by every British resident in China -a cooperation which can be ensured if the Government once publicly notified that it was an experiment, and that if it failed a totally opposite policy would be in future pursued.

THE following letter reached us vesterday

CROWN SOLICITOR'S Office, Hongkong, 13th July, 1869.

Regina v. Saint. SIR,-The two letters addressed by you o the Honorable the Colonial Secretary on behalf of your client, Mr Saint, concerning the Costs in the above Criminal Informa tion, have been transmitted to me with di rections to acknowledge their receipt. am further instructed to inform you that, under the particular, circumstances of tha case and for reasons which, though ample it is unnecessary to detail here, the Government feels precluded from taking any further step in the matter at present.

As an important question of prerogative is concerned. His Excellency is advised to wait the result of the application made to the Privy Council for special leave to appeal against the Judgment of the Honor able the Chief Justice; more particularly as to that portion of His Honor's Judgment by which the Crown is condemned in

The necessity of making certain referen-People out here were beginning to think has unavoidably caused delay in replying

> I have the honor to be, Sir, Your most obedient servant, F. I. HAZELAND.

To J. J. FRANCIS, Esq.,

Defendant's Attorney. Mr Acting Attorney General consented on behalf of the Crown, the costs in this case should be regarded as if they arose in a case between private: parties. By the above letter it appears that the Crown, as it is represented in this Colony, holds itself at liberty to depart from an agreement which, if made picion was grounded upon a somewhat between private suitors, it might be ingenious modus adopted by the called upon to enforce in Court as a matter of common honesty. It is excellent to have a giant's strength, but it is tyrannous to use it as a giant. The exercise of such a "prerogative" is no not stay to enquire. On the whole, we are not sorry that leave to appeal has (so the above letter states) been applied for, inasmuch as the result will probably be to teach the lesson that the highest prerogative powers of the English Crown cannot be exercised at discretion by the Attorney General (or his substitute) of a small Crown Colony. Mr Hazeland refers to the application for special leave as being already made. On June 4, defendant's solicitors at home had heard nothing of it, but of course the application may have been made since that date. We shall hear in due course.

We may be permitted to express surprise at the refusal to pay costs. Mr Pauncefote, if we remember rightly, told the Court at any rate he led the Court to believe - that security for costs had been given by the Government of Macao. That would be in accordance with the usual practice. Why, then, decline to pay costs for which the security was implies an original intention to pay costs: but it is possible that, among the other mistakes which have been committed by the Government in this matter. is the neglect to provide security,mistake of which Sr. Souza takes advantage, the damage falling upon the

defendant alone. The taxed costs (only nortion of the whole) amount to over \$1,400 an amount which must neces sarily be increased by the course which His Excellency has been advised

LOCAL

an almost unpardonable piece of neglect vesterday, we omitted to acknowledge rebeen anticipated, but that does not lessen the value of 'Mr Lind's courtesy, which we now beg to acknowledge. Later telegrams. same gentleman, appear elsewhere.

left Shanghai about an hour after the M. I. str. Phase on the 9th, and has not vet arrived, some fears are expressed that she may have got on shore in the river, or been compelled to anchor an unusual on account of fogs. We trust that the former is not the case.

A PARAGRAPH dated New York, May 11. Francisco of the inauguration of the over land trade with China and Japan on Monday. At that time the first invoice of tea from China to St. Louis was shipped by the

TO-DAY'S POLICE. Mr May on the Bench.

Dr. Dodds appeared to answer a com plaint made by summons against him for explained that from his window he saw many-sided man has produced since There was no direct evidence, however, to elbow of his coat.

Babel saw his ancestors dispersed. But show that he was one of the torturers and in the absence of such, he would impose the nominal penalty upon defendant of \$1, in default two days' imprison-

> A horse-boy who has been in the employ of Mr Chambers, assistant at Messra Jardine's, for some years, was charged by that gentleman with disobedience of orders and neglect of duty. It appears that the boy had been specially ordered to bathe a nick pony's legs in cold water, and that, as he was found three times absent from the stable during the day, the inflammation on the pony's legs was very much increased,-

Fined \$2, or seven days. The Chinese constable No. 32, who tried to leave the force and the world by means poisoning himself with opium, was brought up on remand. Evidence was produced to show that defendant had pawned clothes which did not belong to him, on pretence of sending money home; and Mr May accordingly ordered him to find security to keep the peace for three months in the sum of \$25.

A street-coolie charged yesterday with having picked the pocket of an English sailor-boy belonging to the Sea Flower of a dollar, was brought up on a remand and sent to hard labor for one month.

Two earth-coolies engaged at Pokfolum were in trouble the other day, and the result was that one charged the other with having stolen his box of clothes. The case was brought up on remand to-day, when i was found that the defendant twas a creditor of the complainant to the extent of 500 that he told his companion to take his box as a security, and then, moment this "valuable" security was taken over, the coolie charged his fellow the larceny of the said box. Evidence was produced which showed this to be the most natural explanation of the few; and Mr May accordingly fined the complainant in the sum of \$5 for having given wilful false evidence.

Another of those watchmen who are supposed to keep awake and on their legs for twelve hours, was charged with having been found asleep, and discharged by Mr

Mr Reginald Starkey appeared to charge a China boy on suspicion of making away with wine from his house. This sus plainant. On giving out the wine (sherry) the other day, he gave defendant four bottles, one for office use, the remaining three for the use of Mr Davis and himself and as a tally of the number of glasser drank during the day was carefully kept, it was found that about two bottles had unac countably disappeared. A constable having been called in, a cocktail-maker was found locked up in defendant's box which was the property of the house, and was proved to have belonged to Mr Mackintosh. - Defendperson was supplied with a quantity of wine that day; and as for the "cocktail-frisker," The case was adjourned till further inquiry, and the house-boy was admitted

SUPREME COURT

(Before the Hon. Judge SMALE.) July 14, 1869. REGINA V. Souza-Motion to cancel Bail

parte by Mr Hayllar, defendant's counsel. for the cancelling of the bail bonds in the above case, on the ground that judgment had been given in his favor, and he was now free from all criminal process.

Mr Pollard objected on the ground insufficiency of notice, and a long and desultory conversation ensued regarding the proceedings of the former application. much difference of opinion seemed to exist prepared by to-morrow, and the Sessions would again meet on Friday, the 16th. Mr Hazeland is plaintiff's and Mr. Francis defendant's attorney.

COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS AND AN-OTHER & RODGER AND OTHERS .- Motion for leave to issue execution.

Court to issue execution of the judgment from Reuter's Telegraphic Agent debt arising from the recent decision of the of a series of telegrams, brought on Chief Justice in the Min case; and as the by the English mail. The telegrams have moneys therein stated have not yet been paid, although judgment was given on the 16th of June last, the Manchester firm, by their counsel Mr Whyte, apply for the paywith which we have been favoured by the ment of the money on the part of the

A long and confused conversational dis-As the Ocean steamer Ajax was to have cussion arose between the Court. Mr Whyte, Mr Hayllar (counsel for the Banks) and Mr Pollard (who represents the Official Assignee.) touching the complications which the parties seemed to be now thrown Mr Hayllar said that the large sum (\$56,392) was in the hands of the Court under notice from the Official Assignee not to pay the same, which notice was given before his Lordship's judgment. This state of things had gone on for a long time, and his only fear was that, if he paid over the money to the defendants (Rodger), there might be a responsibility cast upon them

Mr Pollard explained that the Official Privy Council as a party in the recent case, but that some large and important questions would most likely arise regarding the Bankruptey of Lyall, Still & Co. Lyall had been dectared bankrupt in London I it is sufficient to add that this amendment

upon one of the Manchester debts. pleader bill could be filed. He had been Official Assignee, which he had not got.

the costs and interest (some \$9000); and as he said that they had never objected to pay that sum, he now undertook to pay it. Mr Whyte asked for costs of present motion, when another conversation ensued, resulting in an agreement to file affidavita

on the matter. The Court then rose,

DIFFICULT WORK FOR A HOUSEMAID -Sweeping the horizon with the naked eye.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS. LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

London, 25th June, 1869.—His Highness the Viceroy of Egypt has visited and dined with Queen Victoria at Windsor. Advices from Paris announce that 405 miles of the French Cable have been laid by the Great

London, 27th June. - The Great Eastern dini and her daughters to be present at a continues to prove the French Atlantic dinner party at Government Rouse. With Cable satisfactorily. Her Majesty the reference to the statements therein made, followers, armed, many with sticks, many Queen held a grand review on Saturday in which reflect on the ladies and on our late with pikes, and the rest with rifles? honor of the Viceroy of Egypt.

New York, 27th June. - Eight hundred to state that no misunderstanding ever men have eluded the New York authorities and sailed on Saturday night for Cuba. The Spanish Minister at Washington has threatened to demand their passports. His Excellency has granted an official interview to an envoy from Cuba.

CORRESPONDENCE

GORMAN V. BLACKWOOD. . To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL."

Hongkong, July 14, 1869 Sin, -The report of the case of Gorman . Blackwood which appeared in your las night's edition is calculated to create wrong impression which I am sure you wil correct on receipt of this letter by publish

Your report of the proceedings which took place before Judge Pauncefote would lead to the belief that when I endeavoured to arrest the "chief witness" for the plaintiff I was aware of his connection with the case now pending. This you must permit me most emphatically to deny, inssmuch as I was utlerly ignorant of the man being in this Colony until I saw him on the steps of the Supreme Court.

The Chinaman who I saw on Tuesday for the first time for one year was formerly my cook and ran away with the market money in July, 1868, afterwards suing me for his wages. The case was left open by Judge Ball for a week that I might arrest the man, but as I could not find him judg. ment was recorded in his favour, and I was left to seek my remedy in the Police Court "when" I could catch the fellow.

I never saw him from the time of his absconding until Tuesday, and it is to endeavour to show that my object in trying to arrest him was wholly on account of the old matter that I write these few lines which I trust you will find room for in your paper in vindication of my character. I am, Sir, yours obediently,

E. W. BLACKWOOD. Our report simply described what occured. -ED. C. M.

THE ALABAMA CONVENTION. The correspondence respecting the nego tiations with the United States Governmen on the Alabama claims, the British claims the questions of natulisation, and the San ant accounted for the improper balancing Juan Boundary, has just been published of the sherry account by the fact that a | and, says The Times, deserves the attentive perusal of every one who would form notion of this controversy. We may say he had not the slightest intention of steal- | that, although well aware of the frankness ing it, as it belonged to the house, and he and the desire for a good understanding had charge of everything .- Mr Starkey that have characterised the two successive stated that the cocktail-mixer was not British Governments which have taken worth over \$2, and it was only the suspi- part in this correspondence, we did no cious place in which it was found (in a till we read these papers, know the length locked box) that induced him, together with to which conciliation had been carried, and the wine difficulty, to take notice thereof. | how completely it was their own proposi tions and their own act which the Ameri cans repudiated through their Senate When we consider the exacting and critical uot to say captious, spirit which the United States Government exhibited at every step of the negotiations, and compare it with the conceding temper of our own, when we also consider that all which was yielded on this side was insufficient to prevent an almost unanimous rejection of the Treaty. This was a motion in Criminal Session on | we almost despair of the success of any nenotice similar to that previously made ex gotiations in which this country should should be discussed, and made the discussion of one of them dependent on the settlement of another. They gave Mr. Johnson his instructions, and on his o neluding ouvention with Lord Stanley according to their nurport, the late President and Mr. Seward objected to it, and insisted on a new convention in many respects essentially different from the former. When Lord Clarendon came into office his first duty was to consider these new demands. spirit of almost excessive conciliation they were assented to, and it was this Convention, not only the work, but the revised work, of the American Government, that This was a motion for the leave of the | was rejected by the Senate; not, however, until after Mr. Reverdy Johnson had made an effort to revise it once more, and make additions to it for the purpose of importing

One of the most singular incidents is yet Senate was still unpronounced, though hardly doubtful-that is, as late as the 22nd of March-Mr. Reverdy Johnson called on Lord Clarendon to propose that another amendment should be made in the much amended Convention. This nothing less than that the two Powers should submit to arbitration all claims each Government on the other, as well as claims of individuals. The intention. lity of England for the Queen's Proclamation should be submitted among the others for the judgment of the tribunal.

Reverdy: Johnson's language is singular -" My Government believes, as I am nou advised, that it has a claim of its own up Her Majesty's Government, because of the consequences resulting from a premature recognition of the Confederates during our Assignee had not appeared before the late war, and from the fitting out of the Alabama and other similar vessels in Hor Ma esty's ports, and from their permitted entrance into other ports to be relitted an provisioned during their piratical cruise. was conrecously declined, and that any fur-His Lordship suggested that an inter- ther suggestions of the American Euvoy were cut short by the rejection of the promised a case prepared on behalf of the Convention by the American Senate on April 13, after it had been under considera-After some conversation, Mr Hayllar tion for no less a period than three months. discovered that Mr Whyte only moved for Thus has suded this remarkable negotiation, in which our Government appears to have carried conciliation and forbuarance to the utmost, only to meet with ever new and more exorbitant demands.

THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH AND LORD BELMORE

derstanding had occurred between Prince Alfred and Lord Belmore with regard to an invitation which His Royal Highness wished the Governor to issue to Madame Caranillustrious visitor, we have been authorized occurred between His Excellency and the Duke, and, moreover, the rumour is utterly without foundation. The facts of the case are as follows :- "Bis Royal Highness was desirous of having the Carandinis at a musical party at Government House, and asked Lord Belmore, if he had no objechealth obliged His Excellency to be con- plied departure, he took leave of His Excellency | blows of the hammer. to Throsby Park that evening, he himself | offices : going on board at night to sleep, and not again returning on shore."-Sydney Morning Herald.

AN AMERICAN PARALLEL. (Pall Mall Gazette, May 21)

Sir Francis Head has supplied a pertineut

illustration of the genuineness of that hatred of rebellion to which Mr. Sumner has lately been giving utterance on behalf of the United States Senate. The facts, as detailed in his letter to the Times, will not bear all the stress he lays upon them, inasmuch as there is no evidence that the "doctrine promulgated and practised the State of New York" was formally accepted by the Faderal Government. much, however, as the decision of the State authorities does not appear to have been repudiated or even questioned at Washington, it may be assumed, until the contrary is shown, that the Governor and Attorney General of the State of New York were acting on a principle recognized by the United States Executive. On the 21st of December, 1837, Sir Francis Head, then Lieutenant Governor of Upper Canada, aplied to Mr. Marcy, then Governor of the State of New York, for the extradition of one Mackenzie, a citizen of Toronto. who stood charged with the crimes o murder, arson, and robbery of the public mail. It was not denied that, for the pur pose of arrest and commitment. crimes were sufficiently proved. But the authorities at Albany alleged that the complexion of the case was wholly changed by the circumstances under which Mackenzi had acted. He had contrived to invest a aeries of commonplace felonies with the maiestic character of treason. On the 4th December he had appeared before the capital of the province at the head of 500 imper factly armed followers, and though his military career was but of short duration. since he was forced three days later to make his escape across the frontier in dis guise, it was long enough to give him claim in the eyes of Mr. Marcy and his Attorney-General to all the rights and dignity of a belligerent power. "He had been," writes the latter gentleman. "at the head a military force, a force hostile to the Government, and seeking its subversion and overthrow by violence." In those earl days Americans were not so alive to the guilt of insurrection as they have sine allown themselves. It does not seem have occurred either to Mr Marcy or Mr Beardley that this little band of ruffiaus was "an odious combination of rebels On the contrary, the Attorney-General goes on to say, "It was a civil war-whether just or unjust is not material for the present purpose to inquire; it is enough that it was a state of open, public, and notorious was on one side to overthow, and on the other to preserve, the Royal Government." Con sequently, he argues, those who have committed the alleged crimes have done so the prosecution of a belligerent enterprise have not forfeited a right to an asylum within the limits of an independent State." Relying on this opinion, Mr Marcy declined to surrender Mackenzie. We have no desire to stretch this parallel too far. But apart from any value it

have as furnishing matter for a to guoque argument against the United Sates, it is a curious illustration of the different light in which the American people regarded rebellion before and after they had made trial of it for themselves. We are by no means anxious that the theory set up by A Marcy and Mr Beardley should become maxim of international law. If any aud every not of armed insurrection is held sufficient to constitute a state of "open, public and notorious war," and by consejuence to conter upon all engaged in it the immunities of political off-nders, the consequences might be extremely embarras. a pinch, nosey the pleasure thence which sing. The next time, for instance, the flows! Knows he the titillating joy that cashier of a Liverpool bank found that his my nose knows? O nose! I am as proud accounts show an inconveniently large anni of thee as any mountain of it snows i I gaze due from him to his employers he would on thee and feel that pride a Roman knows. have nothing to do but to parade the streets A Tough MEAL -The clerk of a church with a few roughs at his tail, waving the in the country recently made the following flag of the Irish Republic, and then, under announcement to the congregation :- "You cover of the confusion, make his escape to are desired to attend a meeting in the some American ship, and defy the demand vestry at four o'clock, to consider on the for extradition on the plea that he had been best means of eating the church, and to Explanations.—We once heard a man at the head of a force hostile to the British digest other matters." explain the largeness of his nasal organ by Government, and seeking to overthrow it DR South, when once preaching before saying that when he was a little boy it by violence. But at the time with which | Charles II., observed that the monarch and swelled up, and the swelling had never Sir Francis Head's letter is concerned this bis attendants began to nod, and some of gone down. Like a member of a tempe- exaggeration of the doctrine of belligerent | them soon after snored, on which he broke rance society, who excused his frequent rights was in no way shocking to the Ame- off in his sermon, and said. "Lord Lauder-"Gantus will work his way through," as drink by saying that the doctor told him to rican mind. Mr Beardley characterizes it dale, let me entreat you to rouse yourself : and wise," and "in conformity with the king."

enlightened spirit of the age." What would the New York Attorney-General A paragraph has gone the round of the have said if he had been told that five and country papers to the effect that a misuntwenty years later his countrymen would refuse to the formal secession of sever powerful States that character of "open public, and notor ous" belligerency, which he bad no hesitation in conferring upon a Toronto printer, who commanded for just three days the precarious obedience of 500

> THE COMPLETION OF THE PACIFIC RAILWAY.

The following account of the completion of the Pacific Railway appears in the New York Tribune, It is dated Washington, May 10:-

The announcement having been made tion, to invite these ladies, as His Royal here about noon to-day that the driving of Highness had heard they were members of the spikes in the last rail which would a refugee family of good position in their complete the line of railroad between the own country. As professional singers are Atlantic and Pacific Oceans would be comfrequently invited to private concerts in | municated to all the telegraph offices in the London, and as His Excellency knew of no country the instant the work was done, a feature in their reputation which should large crowd gathered in the main office of exclude the Carandinia, no objection was the Western Union Telegraph Company offered, and they were accordingly invited. here to receive the welcome news. Mr This was the only occasion when the Prince | Tinker, the manager of the office here, expressed his wish that these ladies, who placed a magnetic ball in a conspicuous have been made the subject of painful place, where all present could witness the nuendo, should be the guests of the performance, and connected the same with Governor. With reference to the reported | the main lines, notifying the various offices coolness between His Royal Righness and throughout the country that he was ready. Lord Belmore arising out of a refusal on the New Orleans, New York, and Boston part of the Governor at the desire of the instantly answered that they were ready. Prince to invite the Carandinis a second | Soon afterward, at about 2 27 p.m., many time, we are informed it is utterly false. His of the offices in different parts of the coun-Royal Highness was not absent from any try began to make all sorts of inquiries of dinner party when guests had been invite to the office at Omaha, from which point the to meet him. The state of Lady Belmore's circuit was to be started. That office re-

stantly backwards and forwards between "To everybody :- Keep quiet. When Sydney and Throsby Park during His the last spike is driven at Promontory Royal Highness's stay, and on the day | Point we shall say 'Done.' Don't break previous to His Royal Highness's actual the circuit, but watch for the signals of the

in the morning after breakfast, intending After some little trouble in the Chicago to sail in the afternoon. Circumstances office, and the closing of a circuit west of obliged the Prince, after going on board, to | Buffalo, the instrument here was adjusted, defer his departure until next day, and he and at 2.27 p.m., Promoutory Point, 2,400 requested the Governor to carry out his miles west of Washington, said to the peopreviously-made arrangement of returning | ple congregated in the various telegraph Almost ready. Hats off prayer

being offered." A silence for the prayer ensued. At 2.40 the bell tapped again, and the office at the Point said :-

"Ve have got done praying. The spike is about to be presented Chicago replied :- "We understand, All are ready in the East.

Promontory Point :- "All ready now the spike will soon be driven. The signal will be three dots for the commencement of the blows,"

For a moment the instrument was silent, and then the hammer of the magnet tapped the bell, one, two, three-the signal. Another pause of a few seconds, and the lightning came flashing eastward, vibrating over 2,400 miles, between the junction of the two roads and Washington, and the blows of the hammer upon the spike were delivered instantly, in telegraphing accents, on the bell here. At 2.47 p.m. Promontory Point gave the signal, "Done!" The announcement that the continent was spanned with iron.

> SOILING THE BOURBONS (New York World, May 8.)

On the 15th of March last, Prince Louis Mario Ferdinand Pierre d'Alcantara, son of Count d'Aquila, the brother-in-law of the late King of Naples, cousin of Don Carlos, the aspirant to the Spanish throne. nephew to the Emperor of Brazil, and connected by other ties with half the other appearance in this city, in company with lias Amelie Isabel de Humel, the daughter of John de Hamel, a wellknown ship-broker of Havana, and a gentleman wellknown in this city as a frequenter of fashionable resorts, and a constant companion of many our most fashionable citizens. The Prince and the fair Cuban, the latter accompanied and guarded by her mother, had come hither to be married, and this they hastened to do immediately on landing. But they found not a little difficulty in accomplishing their purpose; the first priest selected to pronounce the ceremony. l'ather Lafont of the Church of St. Vincent de Paul, declined to do so on orders from Archbishop McCloskey. A civil marriage was decided upon; Mayor Hall happened to be absent from his office; and finally the noble parties were compelled to resort to Jefferson Market Police Court, where they were pronounced man and wife by ustice Dadge.

Now comes, after a blisaful honeymoon of nearly two months, the cruel relatives of the bridegroom protesting against the marriage. Francis II., ex-King of Naples. baving no other subjects than the sycophantic followers who share with him the charity of the Pope, which leaves him to spend the remnant of his miserable days in the Carnese Palace at Rome, considers nuself the head of the family of Bourbon. and from his palace in Rome sends an angry protest against his marriage to the free and independent young citizen Bourbon in his comfortable rooms in the Clarendon Hotel of this free and independent city of New rork. The protest declares the marriage null and void, and is accompanied by threat of excommunication from the noble family of dethroned and impoverished monarchs who bear the name of Bourbon, The young Prince is probably very little troubled by this threat, and will pay very little attention to the protest. He is said to be a very spirited young man, able to take care of himself, and not at all proud of his connection with the family which has produced in one generation a "Bomba," a Francis II. and an Isabella of Spain.

THE NOSE. - Knows he, who never took

the post said, when he saw a hole in the take liquor as a medicine, and he never as "a principle of public law in itself just you snore so loud that you will awake the

FOR SALE. A N Invoice of SCHWEPPE'S SODA Apply to Line Carrie ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, June 19, 1869.

FOR SALE. RAUGHT ALE & PURTER in Hada ROBERT S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, June 1, 1869.

STEAM COALS. For Sale from Store, or deliverable on Board. INGIASH-Londonderry West Hartley. Davisson's West Hartley, Straker's West Hartley. WELSH—Blaengware Marthyr.

Apply to BOB. S. WALKER & Co Hongkong, March 16, 1866, FOR SALE. Ex Late Arrivals. 117 RE ROPE from 2 inch to 4 inches. Bert Westphalian HAMS.

Breakfast BACON in ting. ANCHOVIES and ANCHOVY PASTE Table JELLIES. Dessert RAISINS. Dessert FIGS. Finest Vanila, and a lot of other Oilman Stores, just received.

CLARET in hogsheads and cases. L. FRICKEL & Co. Hongkong, June 21, 1869.

FOR SALE. Just landed ex M. I. Str. " Imperatrice." LARETS: Chateau, Latitte, Larose, Marganx, St. Emilion.

WHITE WINES: Haut Sauterne, Cha-MADEIRA, XERES, SHERRY, MUS OAT, MUSCATEL, &o., &o. LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, May 3, 1869

FOR SALE. FEW Superior RIFLES adapted for prize shooting, both breech and muzzle loaders, regulation bores. LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, May 3, 1869.

FOR SALE. ANILA HARD WOOD. VI Consisting of MOLAVES. BANABAS ARANGAS. And other descriptions.

LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, August 11, 1868. FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED.

NGLISH and Anglo German CON-L. OERTINAS. HARMONIUMS. VIOLINS and VIOLIN STRINGS. FLUTES, New MUSIC, &c. &c. Pianofortes tuned and repaired. O. WAGNER, Hollywood Road.

NOTICE AAR. J. THOMSON begs to intimate that he is now publishing a Series of 40 VIEWS OF HONGKONG, price \$25 :-10 Views from Plates, 4 Small instantaneous Subjects from the DRAGON PROCESSION.

Hongkong, March 1, 1869.

Hongkong, September 4, 1868. FOR SALE. Ex S.S. "TIGRE." FEW Bags of Mocha COFFEE, @ \$7 per bag of 28 lb. G. DUBOST & Co.

FOR SALE ELLOW METAL 16 to 28 oz. and Nails Apply to GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, September 15, 1868.

Hongkong, August 31, 1868.

FOR SALE, TITTER BEER in Hogsheads. GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, May 22, 1869. FOR SALE TO ARRIVE.

Bales of Fresh Californian OAT RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, June 7, 1869. MATHAM'S BRANDY in I doz. cases.

SHERRY ,, 3 PORT Hongkong, April 9, 1867.

FOR SALE. UNTZ's Yellow METAL, 20/28 oz. and IL ne Natil S.o. and dlinky Vitant alleo,

. Vivian's Patent Yellow METAL Kee PLATES, 12lbs. and 13lb. with NAILS. Apply to HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, June 14, 1867.

FOR SALE FLLOW METAL, 18 to 28 oz. Munte and Vivians. JOHN BURD & Co Hongkong, April 5, 1867.

FOR SALE. HE desirable PROPERTY on Queen's Road, lately occupied by Mesars

SMITH KENNEDY & Co. For further particulars, apply to SMITH, ARCHER & Co. Hongkong, September 2, 1867. To arrive per steamer " Ajun" and For Sale,

BERNAY'S CENTRIFUGAL PUMP. FOUNDERS, SHIPS' SMITHS, and GENERAL of water can lay at any state of the tide To pump 360,000 gallons per hour WORKERS.
with 18 inch Suction and Delivery. Price Boilers ma \$1,250. S. SPEECHLY. Gardens. Hougkong, June 8, 1869.

Houses and Lands

TO BE LET. X71TH Possession from the 1st October next the HOUSE AND OFFICE No. 9, Gough Street, at present occupied by Mesers KIBCHNER BOGER & Co. Apply to

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

TO LET. FHE HOUSE No. 6, West Terrace, Caine Road, newly painted and coloured throughout.

Hongkong, June 30, 1869.

THOS. W. BARRINGTON, 53. Wundham St. Hongkong, June 19, 1869.

TO LET HAT commodious Family Residence in Bonham Road, known as "Persepolis," containing 12 Rooms, besides basement story, Bath rooms, Coach House and Stable, Gas and Water laid on, Also, Croquet ground, Flower and Vegetable garden. Apply to

THOS. W. KARRINGTON, 53, Wyndham St. Hongkong, June 19, 1869:

HOUSES in Seymour Terrace No. 2, 6 9, 10, 11 and 12, each containing 4 ROOMS with outhouses attached. Water and Gas laid.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, June 2, 1869. TO LET.

(With immediate possession.) CEVERAL Strong New GODOWNS, very conveniently situated on Marine Lot Next Door to "Hongkone DISPENSARY." No. 68, between Messrs John Burd & Co.'s premises and Messrs GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.'s Wharf. For Particulars, apply to

A. McLEOD, At Messrs Gibb, Livingston & Co.'s Hongkong, April 26, 1869.

TO LET. With Immediate Possession TIWO Commodious Two-Storied Granite GODOWNS, at Wanchi, (adjoining the Union Dock Company's Timber Yard) St. George, St. Julien, on which property, also, STORAGE can be had at moderate terms. For particulars, apply to LANDSTEIN & Co.

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TO LET. ONE FLOOR of a house in Queen's U Road, well situated. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, March 23, 1869.

TO LET TATITH immediate possession. That de-VV sirable BUNGALOW, situated a Pokfoolum, and known as "BELMONT. Apply to GILMAN & Co.

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Hongkong, February 17, 1868. E. R. HANDLEY (LATE PATERSON & HANDLEY,) House and Ship Plumber,

Copper Smith, Zinc Worker, and Gas Fitter. 16, Queen's Eoad West. Hongkong, May 24, 1869.

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Hongkong, April 8, 1860. THE UNION DOOK COMPANY OF BONGKONG AND WHAMPOA. (LIMITED)

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If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-

nosals or any other information apply to. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Agents Hongkong & Canton. Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE

COMPANY,

Incorporated 1859.

CAPITAL, -£1,000,000 THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept. Marine risks and issue Policies at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co Hongkong, June 6, 1867.

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine Risks at current rates.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1868. ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE

COMPANY. ESTABLISHED 1838.

CAPITAL, £500,000. Managing Agents in China, - Messre, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Hongkong, Medical Referee, - J. IVOR MURRAY,

Esq., M.D. HE Undersigned having been appointed | viz :-Managing Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept risks and issue Policies on Life Assurances. For further particulars, forms of propo-

sals, &c., apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Managing Agents in China, Hongkong, June. 1867.

PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. LIVERPOOL, AND LONDON & GLOBE

INSURANCE COMPANIES. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Companies at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings,

or on Goods Stored therein. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, September 28, 1868.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings,

or on Goods stored therein. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

NOTICE. IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE. TrROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Not exceeding 1 month, t of the annual rate Above 1 mouth and

not exceeding 3,... bove 3 months and not exceeding 6, ... 4 Above 6 months,.... the full annual rate GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company

Hongkong, April 7, 1868. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. I NTIL further notice the following Anbual Rates will be charged for Fire

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Hongkong, March 6, 1865. BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUENTS

INSURANCE COMPANY.

prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY,

Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament, Established 1809.

CAPITAL £2,000,000 ACCUMULATED FUNDS £2,233,927. ANNUAL REVENUE £497,263.

THE Undersigned AGENTS at Hongkong for the above Company are prepared attached to the Jetty are Shears capable of to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same, GILMAN & Co

Hongkong, June 21, 1864,

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NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY, REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses removed

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GILMAN & Co. Agents North British and Mercanti Insurance Company. Hongkong, March 9, 1866.

NOTICE NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged in Short Period Insurance, viz: Not exceeding one } } of the annual rate,

Above 1 month, and not exceeding 8 months. Above 3 months, and not exceeding 6 months. . Above 6 months, ... the full Annual rate,

GILMAN & Co. Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE

COMPANY OF MANCHESTER

AND LONDON. THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances, Not exceeding 1 month, 1 per cent. Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, }

Above 3 months and not exceeding 6, 2 do. Above 6 months the full annual rate HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, April 8, 1868.

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Above 1 month and not exceeding three ? 11 months, Above 3 m'ths and not ex-

ceeding months Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate, JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company.

Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NOTICE. BRITISH AND FOREIGN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine risks at the current Rates. Policies can be made payable at all the principal ports throughout the World. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.,

Hongkong, November 7, 1867.

NOTICE.

THEQUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY

FHE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances, Not exceeding I month, I of the annual rate Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 1 do.

Above 3 months and not exceeding 6, do. Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co., Agents the Queen Insurance Company.

> THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL -TWO MILLION STERLING.

Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

HE Undersigned having been appointed HE Undersigned having been appointed port, are prepared to grant Policies against Agents for the above Companies are Fire, to the extent of £10,000, on Buildings or on Goods stored therein. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

> LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION. LIFE ASSURANCE,

THE Undersigned are authorised to issue Life Policies for sums not exceeding HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO-RATION. THE following rates will in future be charged for Short Period Insurances;

Three months, . . . Six months, HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, April 7, 1868,

insurances.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE

CORPORATION. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insur-

ance on the usual Terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, December 26, 1867.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above INSURANCE OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine Risks, and issue Policies on any first class Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in CEINA. SINGAPORE, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, OF LONDON. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, June 21 1864.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances.

Not exceeding One) per cent. Above One Month and not exceeding } per cent.

Above Three Months and not exceeding Six Months, The full Annual Rate Above Six Months, of 1 per cent. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

Agents Royal Insurance Company,

Three Months,

Hongkong, April 7, 1868. NOTICE.

HE Undersigned having received extended limits from THE ROYAL INSUR-ANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against FIRE as follows, vit. On any one first-class Building, or on Goods, stored therein - in Hongkong, \$60,000; in Macao \$45,000.

Hongkong, June 17, 1864. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE.

Agents Royal Insur, Company of Liverpool.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

THE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th Optober last) received authority from the Secretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and Ey-FECTS, therein contained.

In cases of DWELLING-HOUSES removed from the Town, the rate of Premium will be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of One per Cent. per Annum as hitherto charged and in cases of Residences, so situated, being detached or semi-detached, the rate will be further reduced to One-half per Cent. The Royal's Annual Rates for FIRE IN-SURANCE on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as

follows, until further notice, viz. :--Detached and semi-detached. Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their

Other Dwelling-Houses (simi-

larly situated) and their Contents f per cent. First Class China House and their Contents, le per cent Other Risks as per special arrangement. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

Hongkong, November 9, 1866. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned, Agents for the above

Company are prepared to grant Poli-

Agents Royal Insurance Company.

cies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and GOODS, at current rates. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, February 6, 1867.

BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies against SEA RISKS, at currentrates. RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, April 1, 1865. YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSUCIA." TION OF SHANGHAL

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cy covering Marine Risks, at the curren-

Hongkong, June 4, 1869.

FUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 6, 1866. SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Macao for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the current Rates. RAYNAL & Ca Macao, August 4, 1866.

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Agents in Hongkong for the shove named Companies are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual tarms. SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, August 1, 1866.

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F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General General Post Office. Hongkong February 1, 1869.

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> tional part of a Penny. 3 .- Orders drawn in the United Kingdom upon Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yokobama, will be paid at the rate of Exchange at which Money Orders are being issued at he time of their presentation.

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as "Carron Co." is inadmissible. 6.—The Remitter on stating that the Order is to be paid only through a Bank. have the option of giving or withdrawing the name of the Payee; in such case, the Order will be crossed in the same way that Cheques are commonly crossed when they

are intended to be paid through a Bank. .-When an Order is presented through a Bank, a receipt by any person will be sufficient, provided the Order be crossed with. the name of the receiving Bank, and presented by some Person known to be in the employ of such Bank.

8.—The signature of the Payee of a Monev Order to be affixed to the Order in the place provided for the purpose. If the Payee be unable to write he must sign the receipt by making his mark in the presence of a Witness, who must sign his name, with his address in the presence of the Officer who pays the Order.

For a Packet of Books, 6 cents per 4 9.—Should the Payee of a Money Order | additional 8 ounces. Lesire to receive payment in the Country in Book Packets must not exceed two feet in length or one foot in width or which the Order was issued, at some other Office than that in which the Order was originally drawn, the transfer will be granted provided the Order be inclosed to the Postmaster of the Office in which it was drawn. In such case a new Order will be issued, the Commission chargeable upon which will-be deducted from the amount of Correspondence addressed to Yokohama,

San Francisco and the United States 10,-In the event of a Money Order miscarrying or being lost, a duplicate will be granted on a written application from the Payee (containing the necessary particulars, and accompanied by an additional Commission) to the Office where the

Original Order was payable. - 11. On the receipt of a similar application, orders will be given to stop payment july19 of a Money Order, or to renew a lapsed Order. The additional Commission in the It is hereby notified that, under the au- last case will be deducted from the amount thority of a Treasury Warrant dated the 1st of the new Order. Lapsed Orders must be

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Post-Office Notifications.

13. Repayment whether of an original, or renewed, or a duplicate Order, will not be mide to the remitter until it has been ascertained that the advice has been cancelled at the Office on which the Order was originally drawn

14. —Payment of an Order) must be ob tained before the end of the Sixth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn for instance, if drawn in January, payment must be obtained before the end of July otherwise the Order will become lapsed and a new Order (for which a second Commission, to be deducted from the amount of the Order, will be charged) will become

15. - If an Order be not paid before the end of the Twelfth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn, for instance, if drawn in January and not paid before the end of the following January—all claim to the Money will be forfeited, unless under peculiar circumstances, the Post Office of the Country in which the Order was drawn think proper to allow it. 16. -After once paying a Money Order

by whomsoever presented, the paying Office will not be liable to any further claim. wrong payment, however, be made owin negligence on the part of any Officer the Post Office, the Postmaster General the Country or Colony in which the negli ence occurs will, if he see ht, require the Officer in fault to make good the loss 17. No Money Order will be paid unless

the advice has been previously received. 18. - Additional Rules for greater security against fraud, and for the better work-2.—The rate of Postage on Lietters is 8 ing of the system generally will be made as occasion may require.

19.—Should it appear that Money Orders are used by mercantile men, or others either in the United Kingdom or at Hong kong, Shanghailfor Yokohama, for the transmission of large sums of money, the British or Colonial Post Office, as the case may be, will donsider the propriety of increasing the Commission, and will exercise the power of wholly suspending for a time the issue of Money Orders.

> F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General.

General Post Office. Hongkong, 22nd August, 1868.

is hereby notified that; under the provisions of a Treasury Warrant dated the 7th May, the Postage on a Letter not exceeding half-an-ounce in weight posted in Hongkong or at any of the Ports in China and Japan addressed to Egypt, or posted in Egypt addressed to Hongkong or Calcutta. any of the Ports in China and Japan, and conveyed in the Mails by British Packet, is reduced from Twenty-four Cents to Twelve

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Challesponit F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General General Post Office, Hongkong, July 15, 1868.

1. It is hereby notified for general information that, the Contract between the Government of Mauritius and the Union Steam-ship Company, for the Conveyance of Mails once a Month between Ceylon and Mauritius, and between Mauritius and 5. - Applicants for Money Orders must Natal, having terminated, the corresponfurnish, in full, the surname, and, at least, dence for Mauritius will be forwarded from initial of one Christian name, both of this Office in the Mail for Aden, from the Remitter and the Payee, if the Remit whence it will be sent to its destination by er or Payee be a Peer or a Bishop, his or the French Mail Packets leaving Aden for dinary title will be sufficient, if a firm, the Reunion and Mauritius on the 23rd of each

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3. As the communication with Natal and the names of the persons composing it, such the Cape of Good Hope is thus cut off, correspondence for those Colonies, unless, marked to be forwarded by Private Ship. will, in future, be sent in the Mails for London at the following rates of Postage, which must be paid in advance, viz :-

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les 6 Book Packets via Southambton, 10 oz. 20 cents, above 4 oz. and not excoeding 8 oz.; and 20 cents for every additional 8 oz.

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F. W. MITCHELI Postmaster General eneral Post Office, Hongkong, 9th September, 1868.

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. F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General General Post Office. Hongkong, June 18, 1868.

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Intimations.

MHINESE PILOTAGE SERVICE.

> GENERAL REGULATIONS WITH LOCAL RULES FOR THE

OF SWATOW.

GENERAL REGULATION I. I. Bye-Laws and Local Rules.

1. Bye-Laws and Rules necessary fo the better ordering of pilotage matters at the Ports are to be drawn up by the Harbour Master in consultation with the Consuls and Chamber of Commerce, with whom also it rests in the same way to fix the number of Pilots, tariff of charges, and define the limits of the Pilotage ground. 2.—The number of Pilots for the Port of

Swatow shall be six. 3,-The Pilotage ground for the Port of Swatow shall be off Bill Islet to the lower limit of the anchorage hahchio Point. 4: -The rates of pilotage shall be as follows for all sized vessels between the limits of the Pilotage ground: steamers or sailing vessels, \$2.50 per foot English measurement. To Harbour Pilot for Berthing or Unberth ing, 50 cents per foot English measure-

GENERAL REGULATION II. II. Pilots Individuals Eligible. The subjects, citizens or proteges of Treaty Powers shall, equally with Natives of China, and without distinction of nationality, be eligible for appointment when vacancies occur, by the Board of Appointment, subjent to the General Regulations now issued. and the Bye-Laws to be under them enforced at the several Ports respectively. GENERAL REGULATION III.

III. Board of Appointment, how to be The Board of Appointment shall consist

of the Harbour Master as President, the or a) Senior Pilot, and two persons whose names shall be drawn by lot, by the Harbour Master, from a list prepared and published by the Harbour Master in consultation with the Consuls and Chambers of GENERAL REGULATION IV.

Vacancies : how to be filled up. 1.-Whenever there may be a vacancy amnog the Pilots, it shall be duly notified in the local prints; and eight days afterwards the Board of Appointment shall proceed to fill it up by a competitive examination 2.—The Board may refuse to admit to the examination any one who, having once been a Licensed Pilot, has had his License

withdrawn, and also any candidate who is unable to procure Consular Certificates as to Character, &c. 3. -The examination shall be public and gratuitous, and the vacancies shall be given to the most competent among the candidates without distinction of nationality, provided always the compotency of the first

on the list be not relative but absolute: 4. The Consul concerned may in person or by deputy, be present and take part in the examination of caudidates. 5.- The majority of the votes of the embers of the Board shall decide the admission of caudidates for Pilots' L

censes, each member baying one vote in the Ballot, but in the absence of the Consu concerned the Harbour Master shall have GENERAL REGULATION V. Pilots' Licenses; by whom to be issued I. -Pilots' Licenses shall be issued by the Commissioner of Customs in the name and on behalf of the Chinese Government : Li-

of China shall subsequently be vised and registered at the Consulate concerned 2-Every Licensed Pilot shall be given printed copy of the General Regulations and Local Rules and shall produce the same as well as his License when required 3. On the first of July each year every Pilot shall pay the sum of Ten Haikwan Taels for the renewal of his License.

censes issued to Filots not being natives

J. TOS GENERAL REGULATION, VI. Auprentice Pilots: how to be taken 1. Litshall be allowable for each Licensed Pilot to take an apprentice, for whom he shall be responsible; on the application of Pilots, the Harbour Master will supply Ap prentices with special certificates. 2. When the circumstances of the Port appear to demand it, the Harbour Master may authorize apprentices to set temporarily and within certain limits, as Pilots provided they have received certificates

competency from the Board of Appoint GENERAL REGULATION VII. Licensed Pilots ; to whom subordinuted.

Unlicensed Piloting, &c. 1.-Licensed Pilots may carry on their business either singly or in Companies They must pay due respect to the wishes and instructions of the Harbour, Master, under whose order and control they are placed, and who is invested with power to suspend or dismiss, subject to an appeal to the Consul concerned; when the Pilot is a Foreigner; the appeal to be lodged within

2.- If guilty of any misconduct for which Consular punishment has been inflicted, or if proved to have committed any offence gainst Revenue Laws, the individua oncerned may be suspended or dismisser by the Harbour Master, subject to an appeal to his Consul. If a Foreigner, the appeal to be lodged within three days. 3.—Any one piloting without a License shall be subject to prosecution before his own authorities, who will don't with the offender in accordance with the Laws of his Country. Any Pilot lending his License to another will be proceeded against and dealtwith in the same way, in addition to forfeit- considerably enhance its value. * * *

4-any Commanding Officer employing an unlicensed person to pilot his vessel will be liable to be fined in the sum of One Hundred Taels by the authorities to whose jurisdiction he is amenable. GENERAL REGULATION VIII.

Pilot Boats ! Regulations to be observed. their crews at the Harbour Master's Office, dings, and general characteristics, that w where each boat will be given a cartificate would fain transfer them to our column The science of Medicine has never before and number. The words "Licensed Pilot A complete and intelligible plan of the In produced any remedy that can be compared Boat" shall, with the number, be legibly perial City and neighbourhood, gives us a to this wonderful Ointment, as it cares painted at the stern, and on the head of the accurate notion of the relative position after all other means have failed, all Mainsail; and a flag, of which the upper its divisions, streets, and places. wounds, sores, ulcers, and also the most horizontal half shall be yellow, and the In the introductory chapter to the notice lower green, shall be flown. Such register- of the Treaty Forts of Japan will be fou ed Pilot Boats shall deposit their national a succinct history of that Empire, togetl papers with their Consul or the Customs; with remarks on its government, geograp they shall be at liberty to move freely and limits, which will be found particula cannot be conquered by any other treat within the limits of the Port and Pilotage interesting as throwing a considerable li ground, and shall be exempt from Tonnage on a part of the world so long entirely, the dues. On the requisition of the Harbour still comparatively, unknown to Europe

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Master or his deputies, it will be obligatory on registered Pilot Boats to convey from place to place within the limits, employés belonging to either Customs or Harbour Master's Departments, with such stores as may be wanted for either Light-houses or

Light ships.

2.—Every Licensed Pilot Boat shall pay a fee of Twenty Taels for renewal of License on the first of July each year.

3.-In case of a Pilot going off in an unregistered Boat, he will be authorized to carry the Pilot Boat Flag during the time he is on board; but no Pilot is authorised to cruize in an unregistered Boat, without special permission from the Harbour Mas-

4. The owner or hirer of any unregistered Boat making use of a Pilot Flag, and not having a Licensed Pilot on board, shall be prosecuted before the authorities to whom he is amenable, or whose Flag or national Ensign he has the right to use. 5.—A registered Pilot Boat is not permitted to fly the Pilot Flag, save when there is either a Licensed Pilot or certificated Apprentice on boardie

GENERAL REGULATION IX. Flags to be exhibited on arrival. When nearing the anchorage the Pilot

shall cause to be exhibited-A Red and White Flag (No. 3), if the vessel is from Hongkong, Japan, or any Chinese Port.

A Blue and White Flag (No. 2), if from any Foreign Port. A Yellow and Blue (No. 10), if the vessal is in ballast. A Red Swallow Tail (No. 5), if the vessel

has goppowder or other combustibles on GENERAL REGULATION X. Harbour Pilots : Vessels in Harbour,

Berthing, de. 1.—The duties of the Harbour Pilot, where such exists, will be to take charge of vessels at the outer limit of the anchorage, berth them in accordance with the orders received from the Harbour Master's Department, take charge of vessels shifting berth, going in and out of dock, or to and from a wharf or out of the auchorage, and to assist and report to the Harbour Master's Office all matters concerning the shipping in Port, and the conservancy of the river

r harbour. 2.- In barthing vessels the Harbour Master will, as far as possible, meet the wishes of Commanding Ufficers and Consignees; and the entrance, working or clearance of vessels taking berths not assigned to them, shall be stopped by the Customs until the Harbour Master's orders are complied with, 3. - Vessels are to moor in accordance with orders received from the Harbour

Master, and they are not to remove from the anchorage without his permission. 4.—The Harbour Pilotage Fees payable to the Harbour Master are as follows :-Shifting a vessel's berth; taking a vessel to or from a heaving down Hulk; \$10, in

THE "TREATY PORTS OF CHINA & JAPAN," AND "NOTES AND QUERIES: ON UHINA AND JAPAN." EXTRACTS: PROM REVIEWS.

From the "Strarts Times," July 27, 1868.) Some time ago we had occasion to remark apon the progress that Literature as represented by the Press had made and was making in the East, and our attention has again been called to the subject by the recript of a Hongkong publication which deserves some notice and which we have much pleasure in introducing to the knowledge of our readers. We allude to Notes Justies on (hina and Japan, published monthly by Mr Saint, the proprietor of the China Mail newspaper. This publication is well printed on good paper, and in size and shape is very like its well-known namesake or prototype at home, and is equally a mine containing very curious and useful information regarding the language, literature, history, manners and customs of the Chinese and in a less degree of the Japanese, It says a good deal for the extent and stability of the footing of Europeans in China, that such a publication as this should be established and conducted with apparently successful vigour.

The publication is altogether a very ineresting one, and wishing it every success. we commend it to the attention and support i our readers.

(From the "Eriend of India," June 4, 1868.) We acknowledge with thanks the receipt the numbers for the current year of Notes and Queries," a most deserving Anglo-Chinese monthly, edited by Mr N. B. Dennys, whose "Treaty Ports of China and Japan" are so well known. From the names attached to the "Notes" we can see that the contributors include some of the best Chinese scholars in the East. Its interest is not confined to China, and it will be of valuable assistance to all scholars, who have directed their attention towards the subject of Buddhism and its literature, and generally to all who are interested in oriental antiquities. It deserves to be better

(From the "London Examiner," May

This really useful volume ["Treaty Ports China and Japan"] is intended as a guide for travellers and residents in China and Japan, and as a book of reference for mercantile men generally. It contains an account, historical and political, of all the open ports of these countries, together with Peking, Yedo, Hongkong, and Macao. It has been carefully compiled and edited by Mr. N. B. Dennys; and the elaborate maps and plans, with which the work abounds.

We have thus given in outline some of the more prominent portions of the chapter devoted to Canton, as a specimen of the whole volume. Other chapters treating of Macao, Formosa, Ningpo, Shangbae, and the remainder of the treaty ports, we can only enumerate. The pages describing Peking, the capital, are so interesting, and contain so much that is new to European 1.—Pilot Boats shall be registered with readers respecting its history, public buil

THE CHINA MAIL.

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